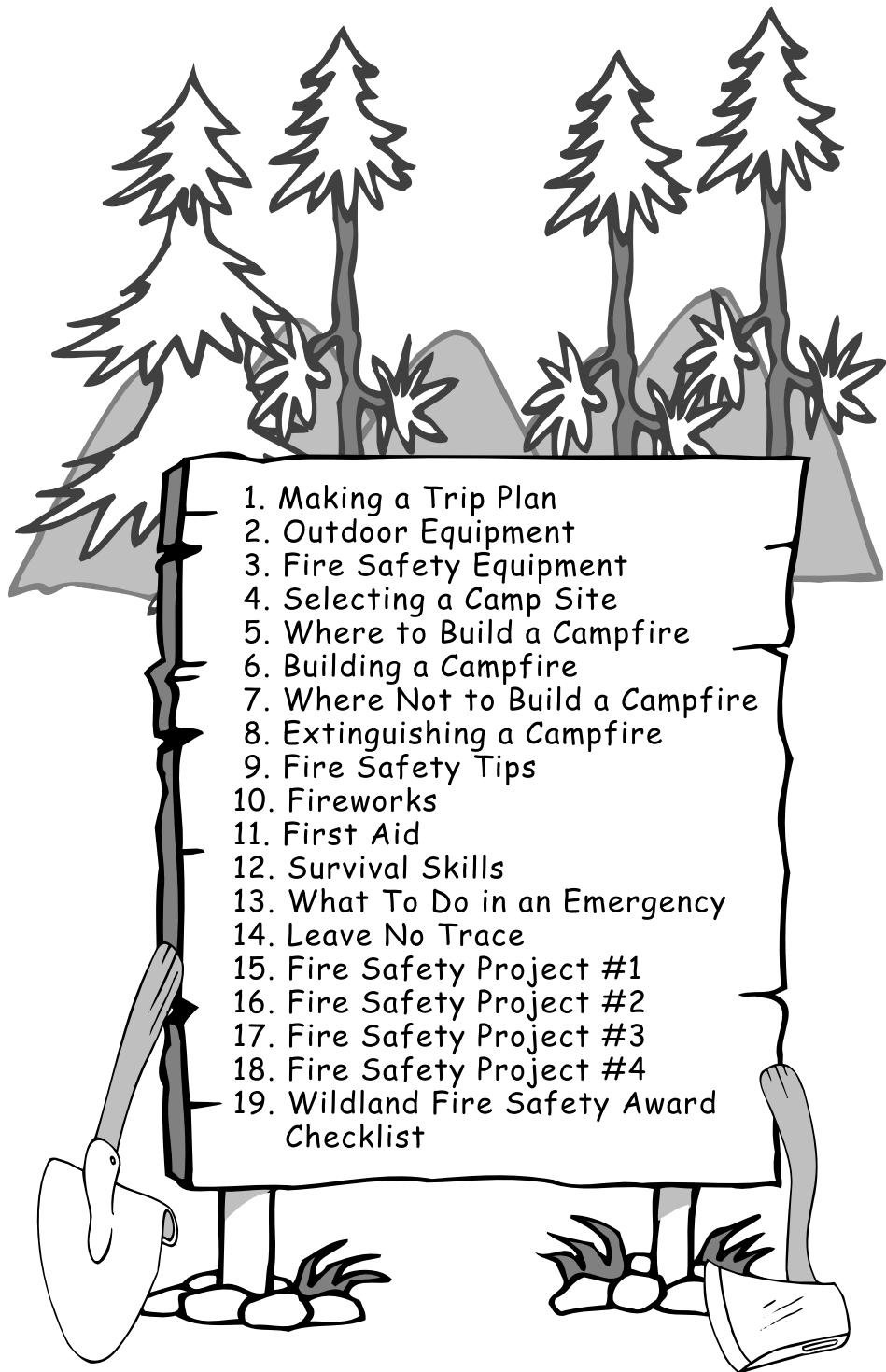


WILDLAND FIRE

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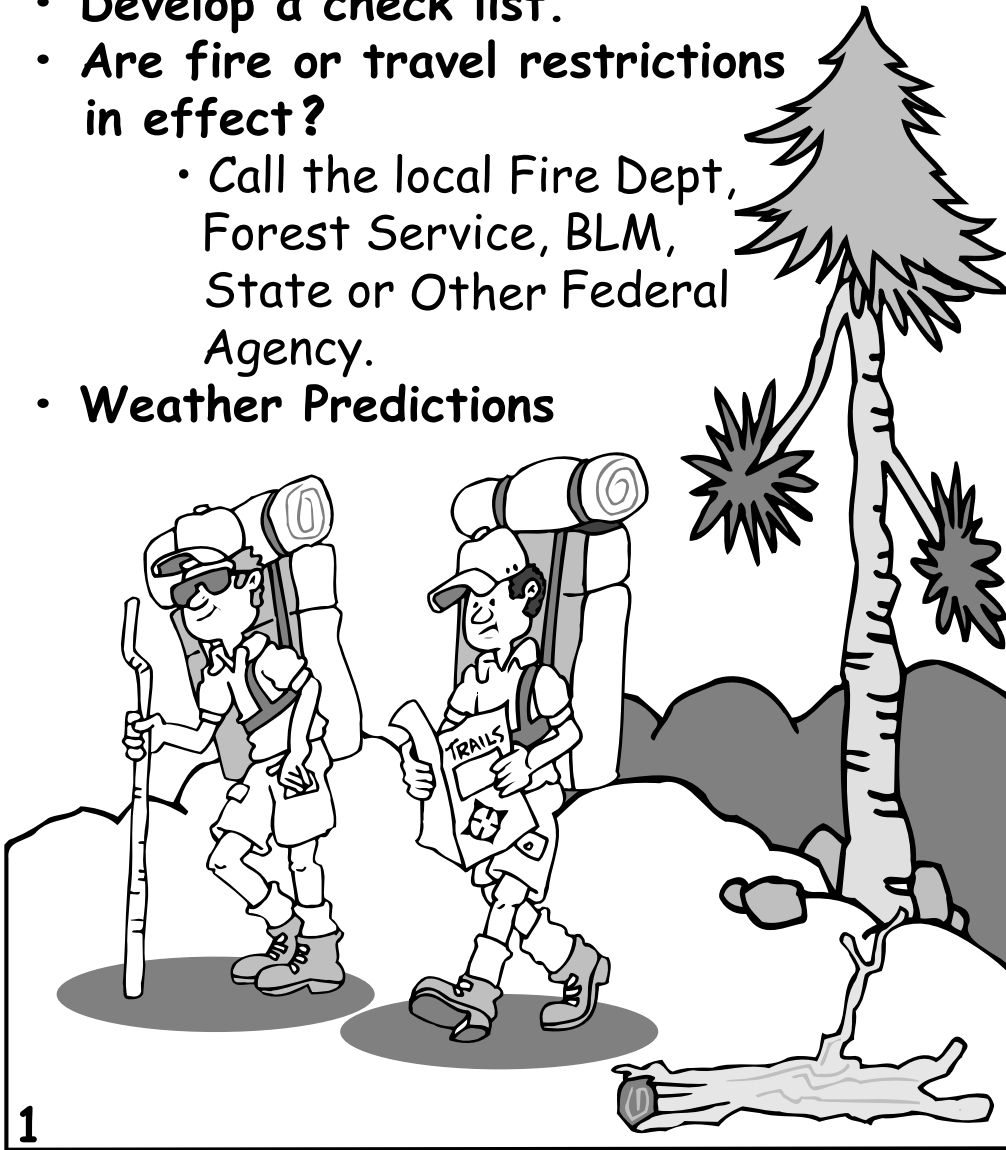
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Making A Outdoor Safety & Fire Prevention TRIP PLAN

- Know your area.
- Develop a check list.
- Are fire or travel restrictions in effect?
 - Call the local Fire Dept, Forest Service, BLM, State or Other Federal Agency.
- Weather Predictions



Fire Safety Service Project #4

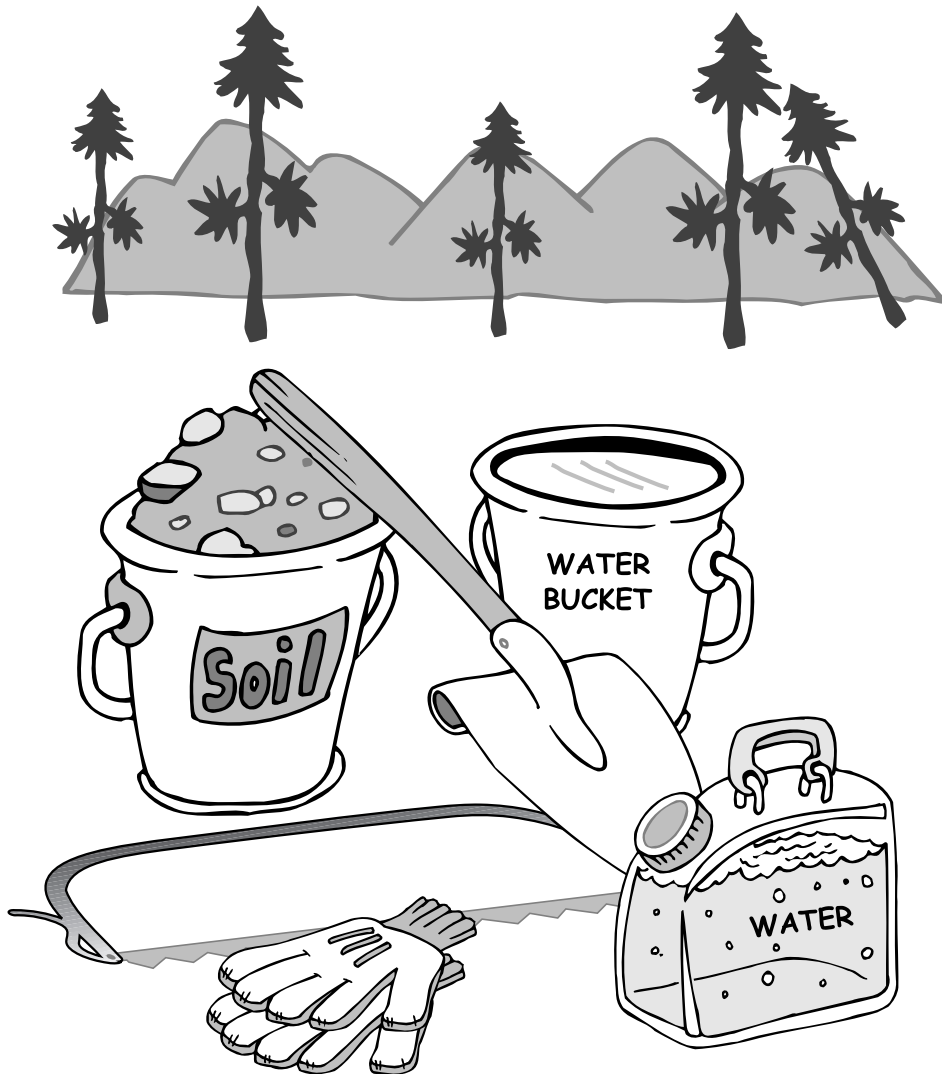
Help your neighbors to keep their yards
FIREWISE !



Tips:

- Remove dead trees from near the house.
- Clean dry needles and leaves off the roof and out of gutters.
- Store firewood away from the house.
- Trim grass and weeds regularly.

FIRE SAFETY EQUIPMENT



Fire Safety Service Project #2

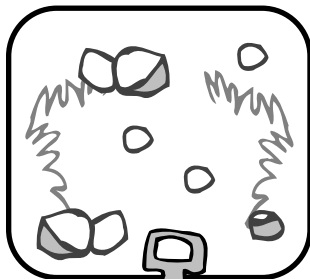
Older youth teach younger youth
about Safe Fire Building and
Extinguishing Techniques



WHERE TO BUILD A CAMPFIRE



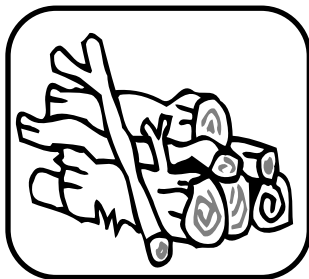
Safe Site



Build in a clear area and keep the fire small.

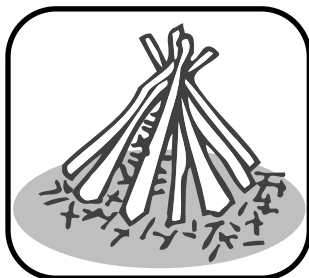
Consider wind direction and dry conditions.

Gather Fuel

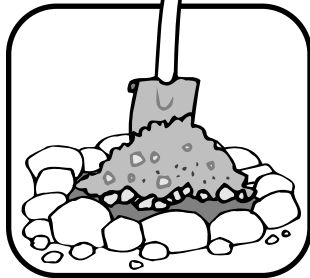


Keep firewood a safe distance away from the campfire.

No campfire in or near a tent.

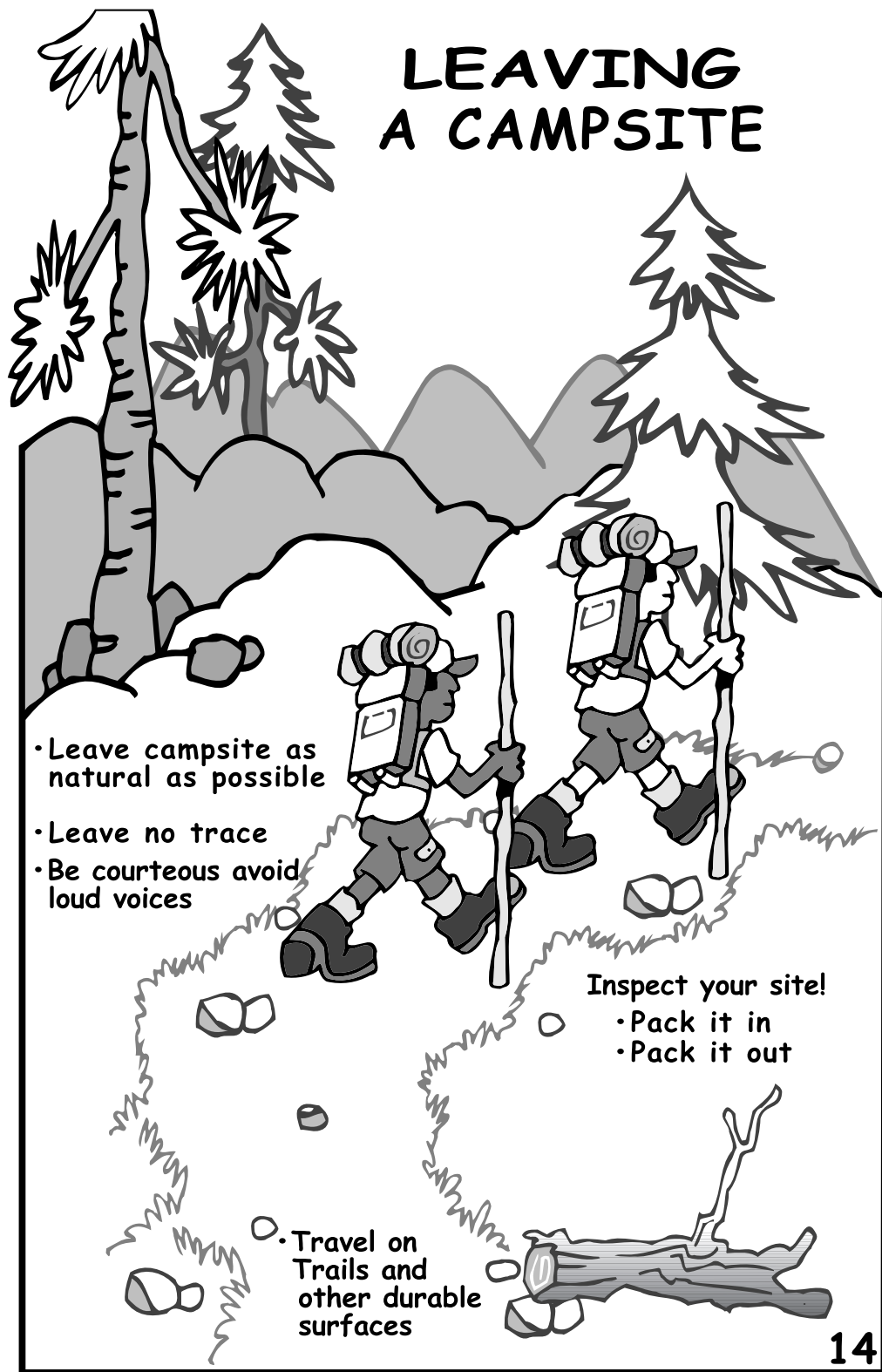


Lay the Fire



Bare Ground

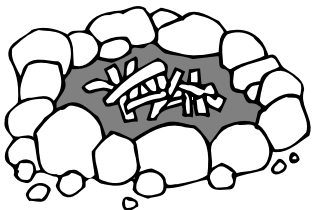
LEAVING A CAMPSITE



WHERE NOT TO BUILD A CAMPFIRE

Never build a campfire under overhanging branches or at the toe of a hill. Find an area free of ground fuel and clear it for a campfire.

NO



SURVIVAL SKILLS



**DON'T
GO
INTO
A
BOX
CANYON!**

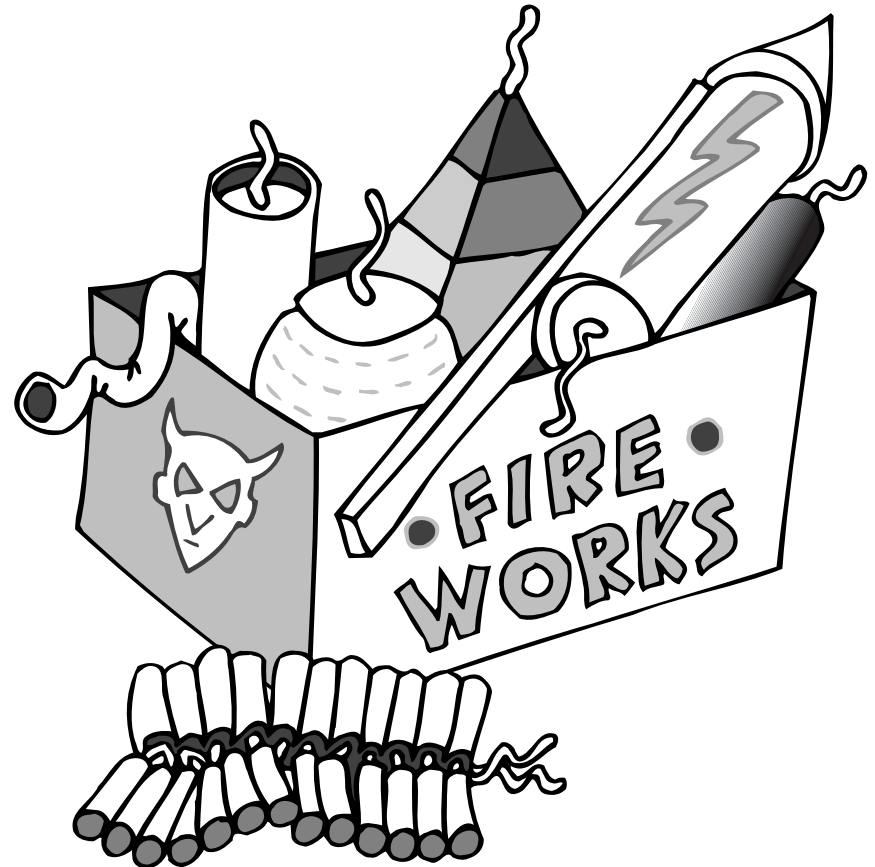
The first sign of a wildfire, leave the area immediately by established trails or roads. Contact a Ranger as soon as possible. If escape route is blocked, go to the nearest lake or stream.



FIRE SAFETY TIPS

- Never take burning sticks out of a fire
- Never take any type of fireworks into public lands.
- Cool stoves, lanterns and heaters before refueling.
- Keep stoves, lanterns and heaters away from combustibles.
- Store flammable liquid containers in a safe place.
- Never use stoves, lanterns and heaters inside a tent.

FIREWORKS
NO NO NO
NEVER IN
WILDLANDS



FIRST AID



1st Degree Burn



Red Skin:
Cool with
clean water

2nd Degree Burn



Red Skin,
Blisters:
Cover with a
clean dressing.

3rd Degree Burn

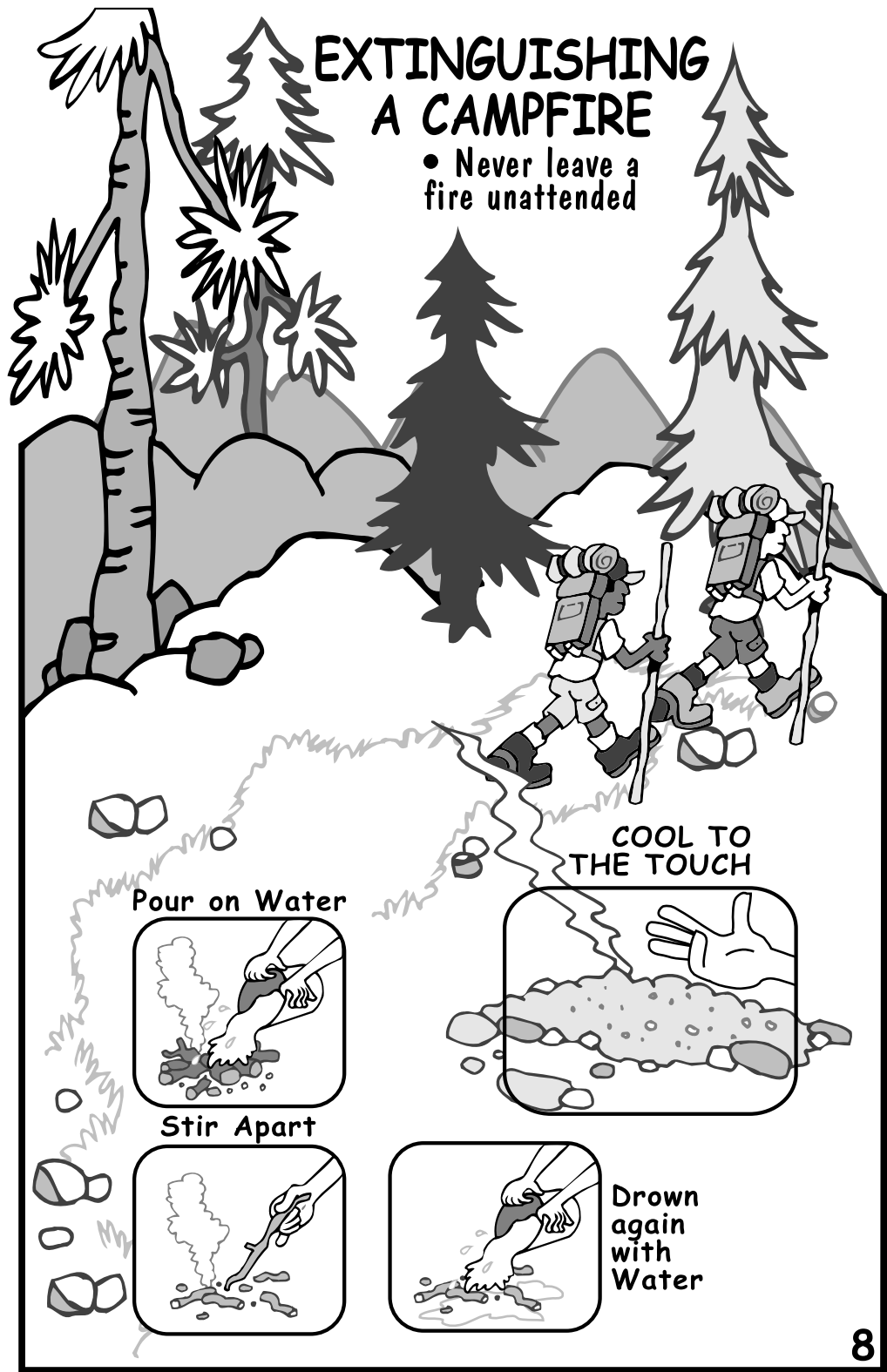


Burned or
Blackened area:
Cover with a
clean dressing.

Get the person away from the
source of heat and apply First
Aid as soon as possible

EXTINGUISHING A CAMPFIRE

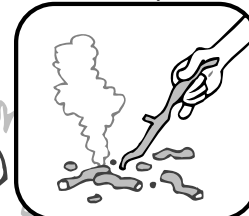
- Never leave a
fire unattended



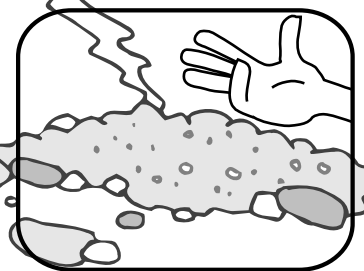
Pour on Water



Stir Apart



COOL TO THE TOUCH



Drown again with Water



WHAT TO DO IN A FIRE EMERGENCY

Leave the area and contact a Ranger or find a phone as soon as possible, dial 911.



BUILDING A SAFE CAMPFIRE



CHECK LIST

- Bare Ground
- Cleared of Combustibles
- Use Established Fire Rings
- Use Dead and Down Wood (No Live Trees)
- NEVER use Flammable Liquids to start a Fire.

Consider using a stove for cooking and enjoy a candle lantern for light.

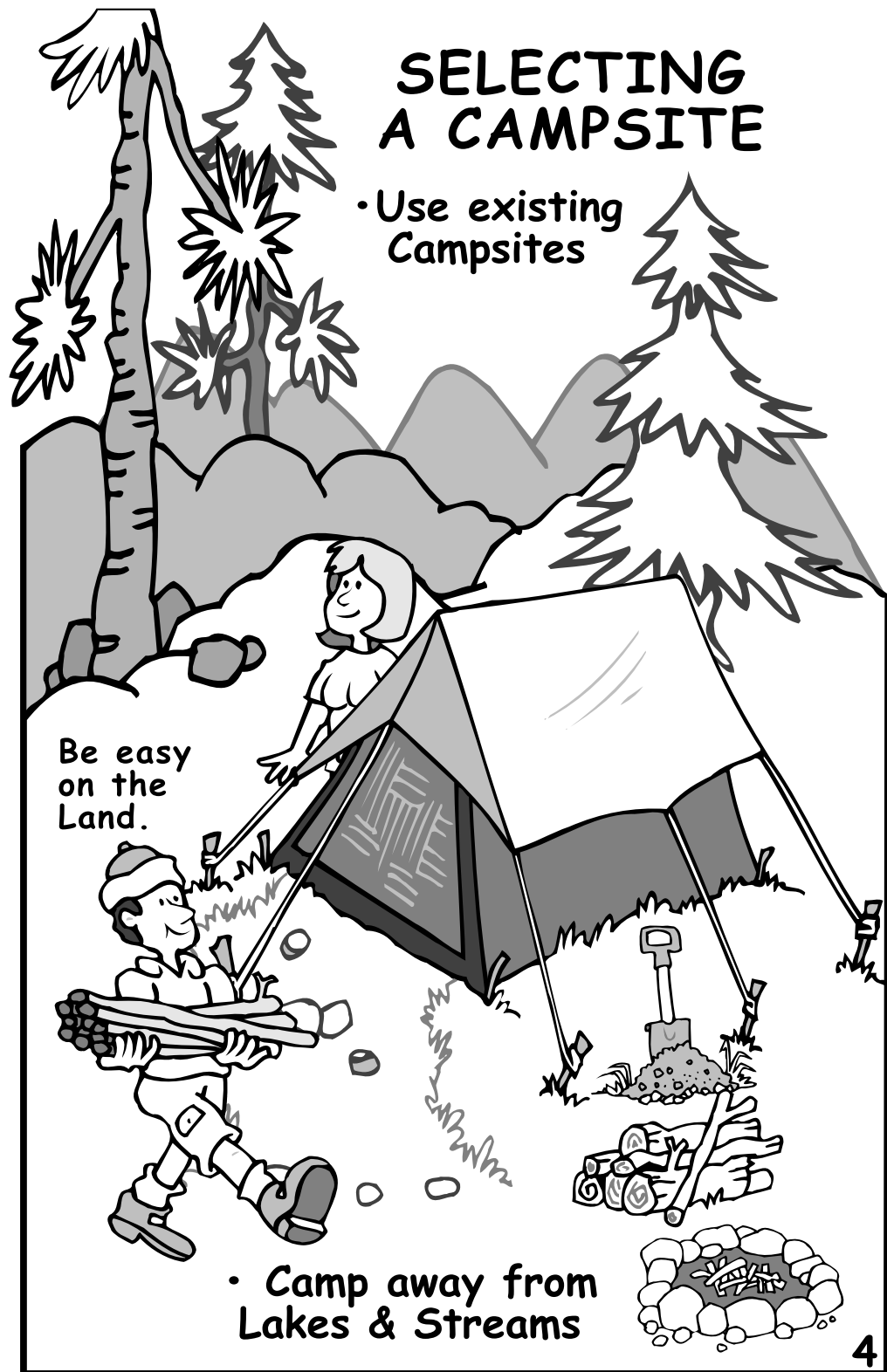
Fire Safety Service Project #1

Build and install Fire Safety and Fire Prevention Information. Your Group can also work with local Fire Departments or Wildland Fire Agencies as a community project



SELECTING A CAMPSITE

- Use existing Campsites



Fire Safety Service Project #3

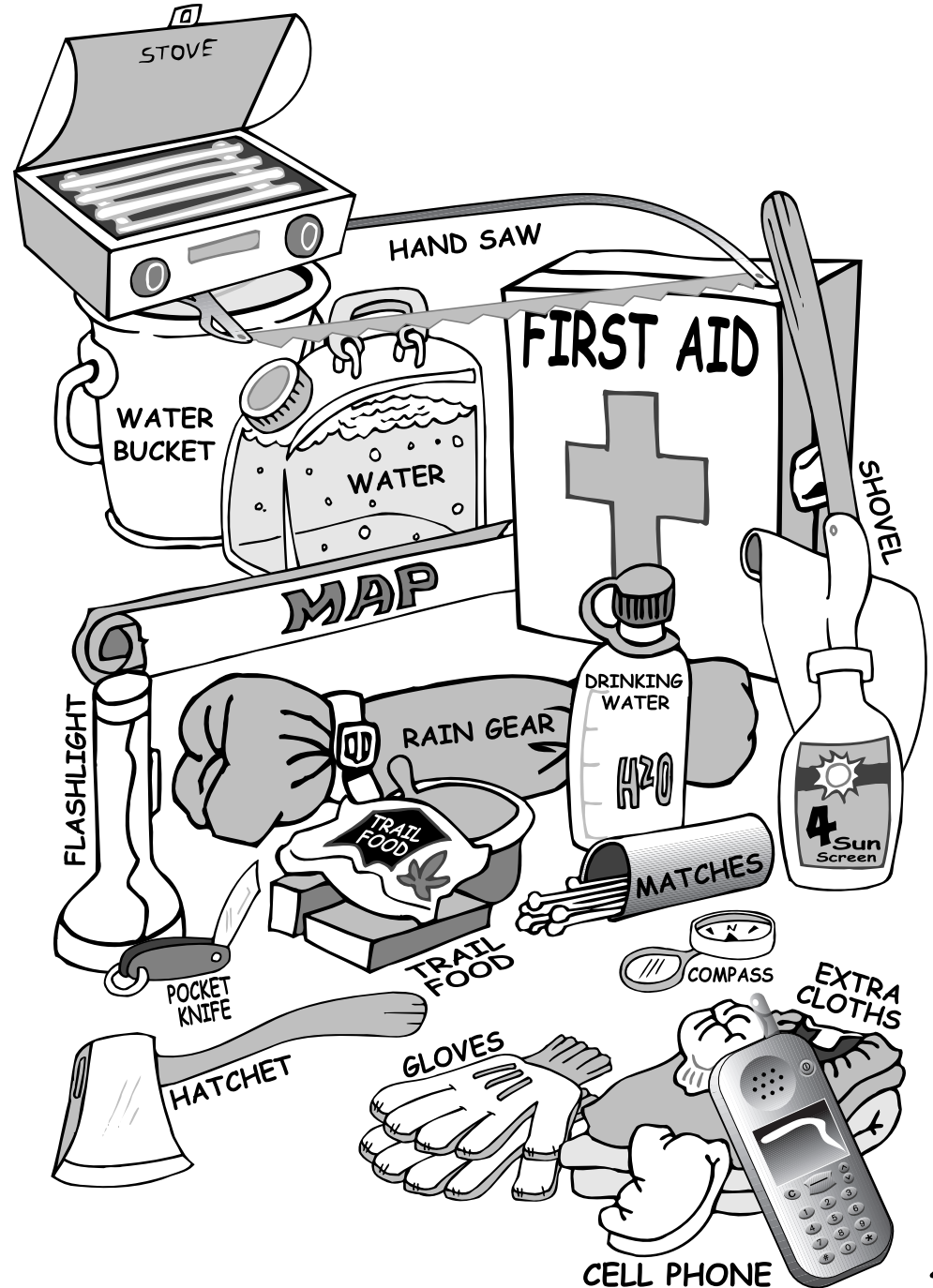
Door to Door FIREWISE Campaign!



Materials can be distributed at:

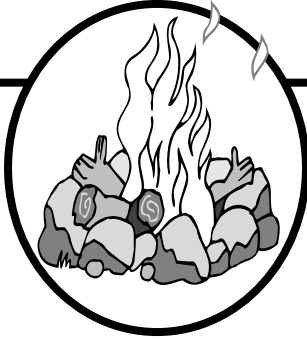
- Safety Fairs
- Malls
- Schools
- Grocery Stores
- Sporting Good Stores
- Other Community Functions

OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT



WILDLAND FIRE

SAFETY AWARD CHECK LIST



Award authorized by: _____

Location: _____

Date: _____

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